

SPECIFICATION AMENDMENT

The specification has been amended to correct typographical errors.

Page 2, the paragraphs under the heading “‘TRADITIONAL’ VIDEO POKER” should read:

Figure 1 ~~shown~~ shows how this innovative card game would be played on a “traditional” video poker machine.

In this game, the player would be dealt five cards, cards 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50. The novel aspect of the game is that the player would know the suit of all five cards but would not know the value, which would be “face down” and hidden. The player could ~~the~~ then bet, discard certain cards and get new cards to replace the cards he had discarded. The cards would then be revealed, as shown in 10A, 20A, 30A, 40A and 50A. The resulting hand could be compared to a payable and the machine would pay out depending on the payable. For example, a pair of jacks or better would pay two to one.

The first paragraph on page 4 should read:

“Alternatively, the corner cards could be conventional and could be dealt face up. In this embodiment, the player would know the suit and value of the corner cards (two cards in each hand) and would know the suit, but not the value of the interior cards. Betting ~~to~~ too could then take place and the player could exchange some or all of the cards.

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